Attv Dkt. 1579-601 In re Patent Application of M# C# HAYNES, Barton F. roup Art Unit: 1644 Serial No. 09/956,940 Examiner: Schwadron, R. September 21, 200 Date: September 10, 2003 Filed: USE OF SYNTHETIC PEPTIDES TO INDUCE TOLERANCE TO PATHOGENIC T Title: AND B CELL EPITOPES OF AUTOANTIGENS OR INFECTIOUS AGENTS TECH CENTER 1600/2900 Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. □ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment minus highest number previously paid for 20 (at least 20) =\$ 18.00 \$ 0.00 Independent claims after amendment minus highest number previously paid for 3 (at least 3) =Х \$ 84.00 0.00 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$280.00 (ignore improper) 0.00 Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$410.00/2 months; \$930.00/3 months) \$ 930.00 Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00 \$ 0.00 First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$750.00) \$ 0.00 Please enter the previously unentered , filed Submission attached Subtotal 930.00 If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract -\$ 0.00 Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee (\$180.00) \$ 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00) 0.00 09/11/2003 ANABI1 00000073 09956940 Other: 0.00 01 FC:1253 930.00 OP **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED** 930.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. 1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C. Arlington, Virginia 22201-4714 By Atty: Mary J. Wilson, Reg. No. 32,955 Telephone: (703) 816-4000 Facsimile: (703) 816-4100 MJW:tat

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AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2003, in the above matter, the period for response having been extended up to September 10, 2003 by submission of the required petition and fee herewith. Kindly amend this application as follows: